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USA UNDER DOT 2 PROJECT "MOTOR VEHICLE NOISE REDUCTION"

REF: BELGRADE 0443

1. IN RESPONSE REFTEL DOT SENT ON FRIDAY, SEPT 20, FOLLOWING
TELEX DIRECT TO BOGDAN KORICA AT BORIS KIDRIC INSTITUTE FROM
H. SCHMIDT, DOT 2 PROJECT OFFICER: QTE WE HAVE PLANNED FOLLOWING
ITINERARY FOR YOU AND STERIJA SAPUNDZI ASSUMING YOUR ARRIVAL IN
WASHINGTON, D.C., ON SUNDAY, SEPT 29.

SEPT 30-WASHINGTON, D.C., MEETING AT DOT WITH MYSELF AND
DR. ROBERT KNAFF TO REVIEW PROJECT STATUS AND PLANS AND TO ATTEND
FINAL BRIEFING BY DOT CONTRACTOR ON EFFECTS OF TRUCK NOISE AND
VIBRATION ON DRIVER PERFORMANCE.

OCT 1-FLY TO INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA. VISIT CUMMINS ENGINE
COMPANY AT COLUMBUS, INDIANA.

OCT 2-DRIVE TO FORT WAYNE, INDIANA. VISIT INTERNATIONAL
HARVERSTER COMPANY. FLY TO MINNEAPOLIS-ST. PAUL.

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OCT 3-VISIT DONALDSON COMPANY, DEVELOPER AND MANUFACTURER

OF ENGINE SILENCERS.

OCT 4-FLY TO PORTLAND, OREGON; VISIT FREIGHTLINER CORPORATION.

WEEKEND IS FREE. SUGGEST YOU MAY WISH VISIT EXPO '74 WORLD FAIR AT SPOKANE, WASHINGTON, AS APPROPRIATE WEEKEND ACTIVITY.

OCT 7-FLY FROM SPOKANE (OR PORTLAND) TO SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

OCT 8-VISIT SOUTHWEST RESEARCH INSTITUTE (SWRI), IN SAN ANTONIO. IN VIEW OF THE LARGE SIZE AND SCOPE OF AUTOMOTIVE TEST ACTIVITIES AT SWRI, DATE OF DEPARTURE FOR RETURN TO WASHINGTON, D.C. IS LEFT OPEN.

OCT 9, 10 OR 11-CONCLUDING DISCUSSIONS IN WASHINGTON, D.C.

I REGRET VERY MUCH THAT I WILL ONLY BE ABLE TO ACCOMPANY YOU AS FAR AS PORTLAND AS I MUST RETURN TO WASHINGTON ON OCT 4. THUS, YOU AND MR. SAPUNDZI WOULD TRAVEL ALONE BETWEEN OCT 4 AND YOUR RETURN TO WASHINGTON FOR THE CONCLUDING DISCUSSIONS. WE WILL MAKE ALL NECESSARY HOTEL, AIRLINE, AND CAR RENTAL RESERVATIONS. I SUGGEST YOU HAVE YOUR AIRLINE TICKETS ISSUED TO COVER BELGRADE, WASHINGTON, INDIANAPOLIS, MINNEAPOLIS/ST. PAUL, PORTLAND, SPOKANE, SAN ANTONIO, WASHINGTON, BELGRADE. WE WILL ENDEAVOR TO USE ECONOMICALLY PRICED HOTELS THROUGHOUT THE TRIP.
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